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This amendment and response is in reply to the Office Action mailed on December 10, 2005.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 15-16, and 18-22.

Please amend claim 17.